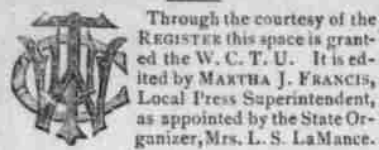


W. C. T. U. Column.



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W. C. T. U. WATCHWORDS:
ORGANIZE! EDUCATE! AGITATE!

W. C. T. U. PRINCIPLES:
Total Abstinence; Prohibition of the Liquor Traffic; One Standard of Morals for Men and Women; Home Protection; Equal Suffrage; and the Teaching of Scientific Temperance in Public Schools.

Poor Old Kansas.

Your state (Illinois) is the garden state of the nation; you have abundant rains. Your state is naturally blessed by providence. Out in Kansas one-half of our territory was formerly known as the Great American Desert. It is the home of the cyclone, the grass hopper, the drought and the green bug. We are only about one-half as old as your great state, but have had no licensed saloons for twenty years and you have had high license. I say to you that today the people of poor old cyclone-stricken Kansas have more money per capita on deposit in the banks than have the people of the great state of Illinois.

It may be that some may resent my comparing Kansas with Illinois. If so, let me compare Maine with the great state of Ohio. Maine, they say, in 1855, when it adopted Prohibition, was the most drunken and poorest state in the nation. Ohio was a rich state. In fifty years of Prohibition Maine has organized and has to-day more banks and has \$22,000,000 more on deposit in those banks than has the wide open state of Ohio with six times its population. Booze and bankruptcy go hand in hand!

Let me bring you another statement from Kansas. They sometimes make the statement that Prohibition does not prohibit in Kansas, that it doesn't lessen drinking. I will read you a statement made by the governor of the state of Kansas quite recently and published over his signature. Listen.

"Of the 106 counties in Kansas only twenty-one have any paupers. Only twenty-five have poor houses. Thirty-five have their jails absolutely empty. Thirty-seven have no criminal cases pending upon the dockets of their courts."

Is there a county in Illinois that can make statements similar to this last? Kansas has the smallest number of paupers of all the states in the Union. Kansas spends more money for education in proportion to population than any other state in the nation—poor old Prohibition Kansas!

Listen. One hundred and five newspapers are published in Kansas, of which number only twenty will carry an advertisement for a liquor house. Poor old, Prohibition Kansas!

The Voice of Catholics.

Archbishop Ireland: "The peculiar circumstances into which the Catholic Church in America has been thrown impose upon her a special obligation to make the country understand that she is the determined foe of the saloon. The anomaly exists that, while professing the principles and traditions of temperance and self-denial, which we have noted in her doctrine and discipline, the Catholic Church in America has been accused of being lenient towards intemperance, and of court-ing alliance with the saloon."

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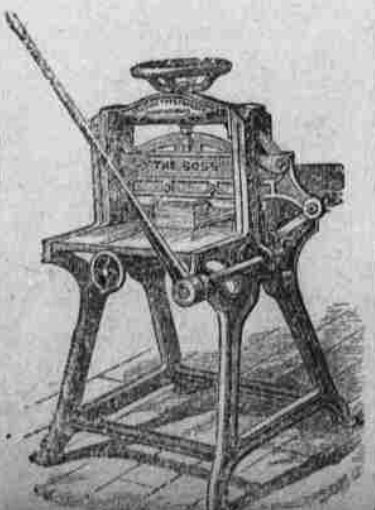
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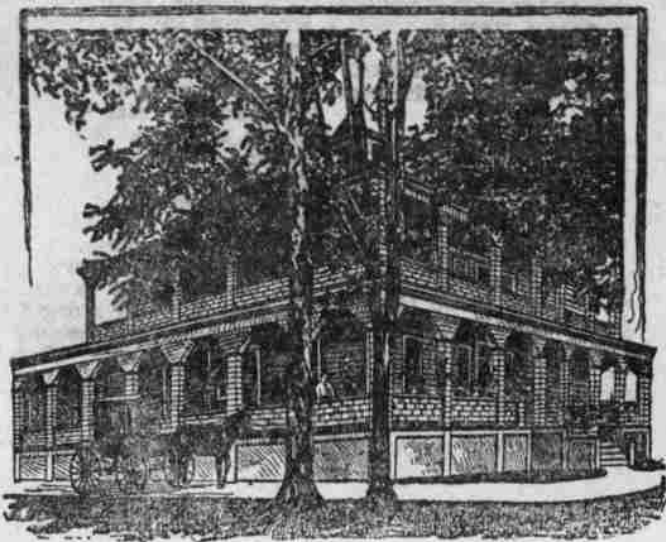
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